

SOUTHWEST VIRGINIA VETERANS CEMETERY
DUBLIN, VIRGINIA
FAI# VA-07-04

PROJECT STATUS REPORT
June 2, 2010



OWNER: Commonwealth of Virginia
Department of Veterans Services
900 East Main Street
Richmond, Virginia 23219

Project:	Southwest Virginia Veterans Cemetery Dublin, Virginia
Owner:	Commonwealth of Virginia Department of Veterans Services
Architect/Engineer:	Wiley Wilson
Cemetery Consultant:	LA Group
Contractor:	Branch & Associates

Section 1 – Project Status

Things are moving well at the site. All building pads have been completed. The columbarium structure is going up and the steel framing for the Committal Shelter has started. The under-slab rough-in at the maintenance building slab is complete and the slab has been poured. The best news is that the functional crypt test was done on May 20th, and witnessed by Andrew J. Walters, PE, from the Department of Veterans Affairs. The buried confined load test of two perimeter quad crypts was successful and the inside shelf pipe supports are adequate. Other work in progress includes:

- Work on first floor foundation of administration building
- Continued work on retaining wall at maintenance building
- Steel erection at Committal Shelter
- Construction of columbarium
- Installation of permanent storm water management structures
- Grading (cut) of pre-placed crypt site
- Road work
- General site work

General: Significant progress has been made this month. Slabs at the committal shelter and maintenance building have been poured. Crypt test has been successfully accomplished. The site of the first pre-placed crypt garden has been graded. Work on site roads is underway.

Issues: Primary issue continues to be soil-related. There is excessive topsoil on the site.

Section 2 – Project Schedule

Work scheduled for the month of June includes:

- Continue site grading
- Construction of columbarium
- Construction of administration and maintenance buildings
- Continue work on storm management structures
- Install site utilities
- Begin installation of pre-placed crypts

- Complete retaining wall for the maintenance complex

Completion Dates:

- Substantial completion: 1/04/2011
- Final completion: 2/04/2011

Work is progressing well. All shop drawings have been submitted. A mock up of the brick and stone building elements has been constructed and approved.

Section 3 – Photographs



Completed Slab of the Maintenance Building



Columbarium Structure



Placement of quad concrete double lawn crypts for functional testing on 5/20/2010



16k axle load being run over buried crypts.



Uncovering buried, tested crypts



Uncovered crypts after completion of load test.



Erection of Structural Steel at Committal Shelter starts.



Preparation of pre-placed crypt garden
(Section 8 on the Site Development Plan)



Approved sample exterior wall panel.